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## PROCLAMATION BY THE MAYOR OF LOUISVILLE.

### Pledges to Use All His Power to Prevent Violations of the Sunday Law.

To the Citizens of Louisville:

On the 13th day of May, 1906, I received the following letter from the Governor of Kentucky:

Commonwealth of Kentucky, Executive Department, Frankfort, May 12, 1906.—Hon. Paul Barth, Mayor, Louisville, Ky.—My Dear Sir: In addressing you this communication, I must explain that my reason for doing so is to be found in Section 81 of the Constitution of Kentucky, which reads as follows: "He (the Governor) shall take care that the laws are faithfully executed." It is therefore, unquestionably the duty of the Governor whenever his attention is seriously called to the violation of any law in the Commonwealth, and especially when there is a persistence in such violation, to take all steps which the Constitution and laws may authorize him to do, in seeing "that the laws be faithfully executed." His powers in such a case may not be specifically described by law, but in the end seem adequate to accomplish the purpose. However, with the active and cordial co-operation of the local or municipal authorities, there can be no delay or difficulty in the successful enforcement of any law. I wish now to call your attention to Section 1,308 of the Kentucky Statutes, which reads as follows:

"SUNDAY—KEEPING PLACE FOR SALE OPEN ON. Any person who, shall, on Sunday, keep open a barroom or other place for the sale of spirituous, vinous, or malt liquors, or who shall sell or otherwise dispose of such liquors, or any of them, on Sunday, shall be fined not less than ten nor more than fifty dollars for each offense."

And also to Section 1,321 of the Statutes which reads as follows:

"SUNDAY—WORK OTHER THAN WORK OF CHARITY PROHIBITED. No work or business shall be done on the Sabbath day, except the ordinary household office, or other work of necessity or charity, or work required in the maintenance or operation of a ferry, skiff or steamboat, or street or railroad. If any person on the Sabbath day shall himself be found at his own, or any other trade or calling, or shall employ his apprentices, or other person, in labor or other business, whether the same be for profit or amusement, unless such as is per-

mitted above, he shall be fined not less than two nor more than fifty dollars for each offense. Every person or apprentice so employed shall be deemed a separate offense. Persons who are members of a religious society, who observe as a Sabbath any other day in the week than Sunday, shall not be liable to the penalty prescribed in this section, if they observe as a Sabbath one day in each seven, as herein provided."

It has recently been represented to me by a considerable number of prominent citizens of Louisville that these statistics are constantly violated in that city by saloons and theaters being allowed to remain open for business on Sundays. The information given me is such that it cannot be excused, and I trust that the cause of the complaint may soon be removed by effective action upon your part. May I not hope, therefore, that if such things be true, you will as Mayor of the city, take immediate steps to see that these statutes are not again violated? In such event allow me to assure you of my hearty and prompt support in every possible way. I am sure you will not consider this advice as an unwarranted intrusion upon your authority when you remember the obligation placed upon the Governor in Section 81 of the Constitution above referred to. My sincere and high regard for you both as a man and as an official would forbid me from reflecting in the least upon your fidelity to duty and honesty of purpose in discharging the responsible duties of Mayor of our metropolis. I am sure that no official could be more conscientious in such matters than yourself. Permit me, then, to urge you that the laws against the open saloon and open theater in the city of Louisville on Sundays be rigidly enforced through your power as Mayor. In such action I guarantee there will be back of you, applauding your work, and assisting you, not only a large majority of the best people of your city, but an overwhelming voice of approval from the people of the entire Commonwealth. Crime and misery have no more fertile fields in which to spread and increase than in the discretion of the Sabbath by the violation of these laws, and no more honorable or worthy achievement could be made by your excellent administration than by their rigid enforcement. My attention was never officially called to this matter nor my aid invoked until within the last month, and the complaints are of such high character and standing, their cause is so

just and righteous, that they deserve our prompt and favorable response. In any way possible that I might be of service to you in the matter command me.

With assurances of great respect I am, very sincerely yours,  
J. C. W. BECKHAM,  
Governor of Kentucky.

To this letter I replied as follows: Executive Office, City of Louisville, May 15, 1906.—Hon. J. C. W. Beckham, Governor of Kentucky, Frankfort, Ky., Dear Sir:

Your letter of May 12, in regard to the enforcement of the law requiring the closing of saloons and theaters on Sunday is received. I have given this subject much thought during the few months I have been Mayor of Louisville. I am advised that the Criminal Division of the Jefferson Circuit Court on several occasions prior to the incumbency of the present Judge, held the Statute which you quote against the Sunday saloons (being Section 1,308) to be unconstitutional. In March last the present Board of Public Safety ordered the arrest of those engaged in operating Sunday theaters. Warrants were issued against them under the other Statute you quote (Section 1,321) and the Police Court discharged all of the prisoners.

I stand ready in this and in all other matters, to do what I can to enforce the law and I thank you very much for your assurance of "early and prompt support in every possible way." With the co-operation of the State, county and city officials, there should be some way devised to secure an observance of these Statutes. I will be pleased to have your views as to the proper course to be pursued, and in what way the State authorities will assist. Judge Richards the City Attorney, will be in Frankfort on Thursday, May 17, at which time I would be glad if you would permit him to confer with you on this whole subject.

With the highest appreciation of your expressions of regard and confidence, which are most cordially reciprocated, I am sincerely yours,  
PAUL C. BARTH,  
Mayor.

[Copy.]  
If hereafter there are any violations of either of the statutes the Board of Public Safety, through the Police Department, will see that the offenders are presented either in Police Court or in the Circuit Court for prosecution. The witnesses will also be presented to the License Board and to the County Court for the purpose of procuring a cancellation of the city and State license of such dealers as may have violated the law with respect to the sale of liquor on Sunday. If the courts decide these statutes are valid and should be enforced I will use ALL THE POWER vested to me as Mayor TO PREVENT ANY FURTHER VIOLATIONS THEREOF.

PAUL C. BARTH, Mayor

LETTERS TO BINGHAM AND HUFFAKER.  
Governor Beckham, After Conference With Mayor, Calls On Them To Aid In Enforcing The Law.

After his conference with Mayor Grand Jury City Attorney Rich closing and all House this afternoon if the Beckham prepared munty houses the following letters:

1906.—Hon. Joseph Lawrence Commonwealth's Attorney, Middletown, Ky.—My Dear Sir: With time ago a large number of citizens of Louisville

represented to me that Section 1,308 and Section 1,321 of the Kentucky Statutes were constantly violated in that city by saloons and theaters being allowed to keep open on Sundays. Under Section 81 of the Constitution it is made the duty of the Governor to "see that the laws are faithfully executed," and consequently after this complaint was made to me I communicated with the Mayor of Louisville and respectfully requested that he should take all steps necessary to prevent future violations of these statutes. The Mayor has expressed to me an earnest desire to see that the laws are enforced, but he felt that it is necessary for him to have the hearty co-operation of the Commonwealth's Attorney in such steps as we may take. I, therefore, wish to join with him in the request that as Commonwealth's Attorney you will give us all aid possible in fulfilling the obligations placed upon us by the Constitution and laws, and knowing your conscientious desire to perform your official duties I am sure your services will be of great value.

With assurances of kind regard, I am, very sincerely yours,  
J. C. W. BECKHAM,  
Governor of Kentucky.

May 22, 1906.—Hon. Robert Bingham, County Attorney Jefferson County, Louisville, Ky.—My Dear Sir: Upon representations made to me by a large number of good citizens of Louisville that Section 1,308 and Section 1,321 of the Kentucky Statutes were being constantly violated by allowing saloons and theaters to remain open in the city on Sundays. I have communicated with the Mayor and requested that he take all steps necessary to prevent further violations of those statutes. The Mayor has expressed to me his earnest desire to see the laws enforced and also wishes that you give him your co-operation as County Attorney in the matter. Of course I know it is your desire to perform your official duties in every respect and I am sure that this communication is thoroughly understood by you as not carrying the slightest reflection. The obligation placed upon me by Section 81 of the Constitution makes it my duty to see as far as possible, "that the laws are faithfully executed." I, therefore, join with the Mayor in requesting that you give him your assistance in such steps as he may

take to enforce these laws. I call your attention to subdivision 2, Chapter 108, of the Kentucky Statutes, wherein by Section 4,204 it is declared unlawful for any liquor dealer holding a State license "to sell liquor on Sunday;" and wherein by Sections 4,208 and 4,210 it is made your duty to institute proceedings to cancel the license of any such offender. With assurances of great respect, I am, very sincerely yours,  
J. C. W. BECKHAM,  
Governor of Kentucky.

### WHAT OTHERS THINK OF REV. ANDREW JUDSON'S ARTICLE.

#### Former Pastor of The First Presbyterian Church of Mt. Sterling, Ky.

This world always has a great big place in its heart for a good man. Over in Hosierville in the county of White, about 27 years ago a young man then about sixteen years of age organized a prayer meeting among the boys and girls of the church out of which was to grow in days to come a Young People's Society, which for all the years since has been one among the foremost of the powers for righteousness in the town of Monticello. This young man is today the Rev. A. J. Arick, who so successfully conducted the meeting on boys and girls in the Coliseum meeting during the last days of the revival here in 1892, he graduated from Wash College in 1898, and after a course in theology in the McCormick Seminary at Chicago he entered upon the work of the active ministry in Hatfield, Conn. I have been in the pastorate ever since, but from his earliest days of interest in religious work he has been the special friend of boys and girls and you find him in general.

During a pastorate of twelve years in the State of Kentucky he was a member of the State Executive Committee of the Christian Endeavor Union, and for a time was president of the union. A pastorate in the city of Louisville, Ky. brought him into touch with Industrial School of Reform and the Orphanage which is situated there. The writer of this article has been privileged to be present at some of the services of the boys and girls of these places and it is a sight of a lifetime to see them file into the great auditorium small youth so splendid to see, every one of them with a soul of

wondrous possibilities, and to see the intense interest with which they hang on the speaker's words, is a rare treat. This hanging on the speaker's words is, however, altogether independent of who the speaker is. Any one who has ever seen a children's meeting knows this. Mr. Arick never had any trouble in holding their attention. Simple in his manner and speech, quick to catch every opportunity for doing home a thought, his ability to hold the interest of an audience of children is a natural result.

Mr. Arick is descended from a long line of ministers, being a great grandson of Rev. James Powers, D. D., one of the pioneer ministers of western Pennsylvania, a mighty man of God, who organized Jefferson College, which afterwards became a part or what is today known as Washington Jefferson College. Not a bit of the intense zeal and earnestness which characterized his ancestors has been lost in Mr. Arick. He is an indefatigable worker, a man whose every thought and deed is what is under ake.

### DRUG STORES

#### Will Not be Allowed to Make Illegal Sales of Whisky.

Information has been lodged with Mayor Combs to the effect that some of the local drug stores are suspected of having sold whisky last Sunday over their counters without any prescriptions from regular practicing physicians, and that such practices are being resorted to as a means of evading the Sunday closing law.

Mayor Combs of Lexington determined to prevent the sale of whisky by drug stores and to strictly, rigidly and impartially enforce the Sunday closing law in both letter and spirit. What Combs will do for a violation will be a plenty.

#### Order To The Chief.

Lexington, Ky., May 22, 1906.  
J. J. Reagan, Esq., Chief of Police City.

Dear Sir:—It has been reported to me that certain drug stores sold and dispensed whisky last Sunday. I request that you investigate these rumors and that you will take such steps as will prevent the illegal sale of whisky in any drug store on every future Sunday.

Yours truly,  
THOMAS A. COMBS, Mayor.



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#### Resigned.

United States Senator Burton of Kansas has placed his resignation in the hands of the Governor.

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

#### FOR CONGRESS.

We are authorized to announce Judge John E. Cooper, of the county of Montgomery, a candidate for Congress, subject to the action of the Democratic party, in convention or otherwise.

#### FOR CONGRESS.

We are authorized to announce Judge H. Clay Miller as a candidate for Congress in the Tenth District, subject to the action of the Republican party, in convention or otherwise.

We are authorized to announce A. F. Ryd, of Webster, Clark county, a candidate for Congress in the Tenth District, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Conquer evil or it will conquer you.

Sentiment in favor of temperance is growing.

Is it not strange that some christian men will patronize and apologize for the saloon? We expect soon to see saloons banished from our city.

If the saloon business is helpful to the masses, if its fruits are an honor to a community, if it makes better men and happier homes, why should it be so heavily taxed? Why not put it on an equal footing with other business enterprises?

### NO ONE CARES

The thought that "no one cares and no one knows" blights many a bud of promise. Be it the young artist at the easel, the workman at his bench, the boy at his mathematical problems or your little girl at the piano, give what praise you can—Exchange.

We have time, and again heard it said that political parties should settle their difficulties, make their complaints, express their objections "within themselves" (i. e. before the nominees have been chosen) and should support whatever and whomsoever the leaders or conventions decide upon and choose. We do not think that this course is always wise or right, and we have not always so acted, nor do we expect so to act, so far as supporting nominees is concerned. Perhaps we have erred too in that we have not publicly expressed as strongly as we should our objection to some candidates.

Voters are not consistent when they they advocate sobriety, purity, industry and honesty, and at the same time vote for a man or men who are known to be drunk, licentious, lazy and dishonest.

We do not think it is safe for patriotic and God fearing people to refrain from participation in political campaigns, or to allow the average politician to decide for them what the moral standard should be.

The powers for evil are aggressive and if they are to be subdued, there must be a determined effort on the part of patriotic, christian men to persuade, cultivate, warn and educate the indifferent or vicious.

Again we urge our readers to carefully consider the moral fitness of prospective candidates.

### Streets.

From present indications Main and Mayville Streets in the business sections will be real streets, next to brick streets. We hope the increase of expense will be justified. Some arrangements should be made for sprinkling.

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Our patrons will please take notice and make their purchases before closing time.

We do this in order that proprietors and clerks may have some time for recreation. We think it is unreasonable to ask men to work more than twelve hours a day, be he clerk or proprietor.

Some merchants in this city have refused to sign this agreement. We hope our friends will be loyal to us and give us your hearty support in this business movement.

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Doris & Donnivant.  
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M. R. Hainline.  
W. A. Samuels & Co.  
H. A. Glick.  
Owen Laughlin.

Panama Hats.

Punch & Graves.

### FACTS and OBSERVATIONS

The writer spent Thursday and Friday around Grassy Lick and North Middletown. Heavy rain fell on both days, making fine tobacco season.

We observed that the pikes in Montgomery show more defects than in Clark.

We dropped in at dinner hour at the home of Mrs. E. Caywood. His wife is an expert maker of angel-food cake.

Were in North Middletown at night. Some fine cement pavements have been laid.

We always enjoy a trip to this section.

(See L. S. and Crop and Marriages.)

The aged Jas. S. Moore continues very feeble.

A member of one of the largest Hardwood Lumber Firms in Canada was in our city June 4th and 5th and bought from N. H. Trimble all the oak lumber (except what Trimble wants to make into cross ties) on 2600 acres timbered land in Monroe and Bath counties. Several parties are now negotiating with Mr. Trimble for the yellow pine and other valuable lumber on same tract of land.

### W. T. U. School.

Work has begun on the new W. T. U. settlement school at Hindman, Ky.

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## CORRESPONDENCE.

### STOOPS.

Farmers are about through planting tobacco.

Mrs. R. H. Jewell continues to slowly improve.

Mrs. Frances Hamilton, of near Owingsville, is visiting relatives.

Chas. Curtis and Miss Sarah Cundiff were married at Mt. Sterling last Wednesday.

Mrs. Ida Shultz and Miss Mary Groves visited near Olympia Wednesday and Thursday.

Rye is ripening fast and "Joyous" harvest will begin in a few days.

W. S. Carr was at Lexington Sunday.

Ollie Kiasick made a flying trip to Fleming county Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. L. E. Griggs visited Mrs. J. H. Gillaple Sunday.

Will and Chas. Pieratt, of Fleming county, have been visiting relatives near Mt. Sterling and this place.

Mrs. Ella Hamilton and daughters, Misses Edna and Emma D., visited near Owingsville last week.

O. B. Spratt, of Shاربurg, was here one day last week.

### Base Ball.

On Friday afternoon the Mt. Sterling High School base ball team went to Flemingsburg where they defeated the High School team of that place on Saturday for the Blue Grass Graded School Championship by the score of 21 to 9. Owing to the exceedingly bad condition of the grounds the game was very loosely played. The local team showed their superiority at all points of the game. While in Flemingsburg the Mt. Sterling boys were elegantly entertained.

The Mt. Sterling Baseball Club has been organized under the management of Ben Drake and Reid McKee. The team will be composed mostly of home boys. Gaiter, the star catcher of last year will again be with the team. While Hall, K. M. I. star twirler, has been engaged to perform for the locals. The first games will be played Thursday and Friday with the crack K. U. team of Lexington.

### To The Public.

In order to increase our water service, we have determined to reduce our present tapping fee of \$10 to \$5, until further notice, said sum to be payable in advance. All persons needing water connection should avail themselves of this Special Offer, which is less than the actual material necessary and work costs us.

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### Refused Diploma.

Miss McGinnis, of Danville, who has been attending Campbell-Hagerman College, Lexington, was not allowed to graduate because she attended a dance, which was against the rules. Miss McGinnis says at the time of the dance she had taken all her examinations and had passed, but the faculty would not allow her to graduate.

Her father has employed several of the best lawyers in Lexington and Danville and a law suit will follow for the diploma.

Saloon keepers in Lexington have paid \$45,620 for licenses and about \$3,000 are expected.



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The most important feature of the small volume, however, is contained in about six pages that are devoted to the special instructions which the Academy of Medicine has prepared on the care of young children. These instructions number 35 in all and they refer to the feeding and clothing of infants and to the further protection of the helpless child.

This curious little wedding gift was inspired by the deep thought which the government has given to the subject of the reduction of infant mortality, a problem of the utmost importance in view of the backward movement in population in France.

Mr. R. H. Stockton, President of Majestic Manufacturing Co., St. Louis, Mo., who letters in 1857 writes: "I hope to pay Mt. Sterling a visit during 'Home Coming.'" We remember Mr. Stockton with pleasure and extend a most hearty welcome to his coming. May many ex-Montgomery people turn this way.

### District Attorney Bill Dead.

R. D. Hill, U. S. District Attorney for Western Kentucky, died at Williamsburg, Ky., on Saturday night. He was serving his third term.

I. N. Phipps sold his handsome residence and 8 acres of land on Grassy Lick pike to Mr. Skidmore, of Bourbon county, for \$5,590.

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W. T. Brooks was born near Paris, Mo., December 28, 1869, his parents being Evan S. Brooks and Malvina Kennedy Brooks. He is a nephew of John A. Brooks and who was well known throughout this portion of the State. The evangelist is a graduate of Perry College, Mo., and of Kentucky University, receiving a diploma from the latter institution in 1896. He began preaching at the age of 17, and held positions at Beattyville, Ky., and at the latter institution in 1896. He began preaching at the age of 17, and held positions at Beattyville, Ky., and at the latter institution in 1896. He began preaching at the age of 17, and held positions at Beattyville, Ky., and at the latter institution in 1896.



A. K. BROOKS.

A. K. Brooks was born near Perry, Mo., August 9, 1878. He is a graduate of the St. Louis High Schools and holds three diplomas from Kentucky University including the Bible College. He is both minister and singer. He will have a great chorus here; this will be one of the chief attractions of the revival.

#### Congressman Kills Himself.

Robert Adams, Congressman from Pennsylvania, serving his seventh term committed suicide. The only key to his motive for self-destruction is found in his letter to Speaker Cannon, written on the eve of his suicide, in which he said that "the fact that my personal obligations exceed my resources is my only excuse for abandoning the responsible position I occupy in the House." One report states that he had lost heavily at bridge whist, while another ascribes his losses to speculation in stocks.

#### South Trimble Not a Candidate.

South Trimble, who is serving his third term in Congress from the Ashland district, has officially announced that he will not again enter the race, abiding by the agreement he made two years ago. He has been in public life for 10 years, having twice represented Franklin county in the Legislature, being Speaker of the House when Senator Gobel was shot.

#### After Root Packers.

President Roosevelt in a message to Congress says that the report of his special commissioners appointed to inspect the Chicago meat packing houses declares that the stock yards and packing houses are not kept even reasonably clean. He urges the enactment of rigid laws.

# FILLING THE GAPS

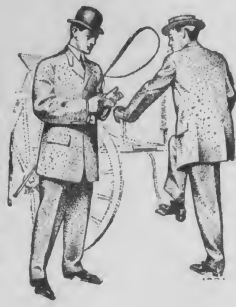
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in Madras, Irish Linen and unfinished  
linens, beautiful Washable Ties to harmonize,  
and the Colligate Collar, the latest  
things for gentlemen.

## WALSH BROS.

Where the J. & M. Low Shoes are Sold at \$5.00 the Pair.

#### Charge of Drunkenness Rejected.

On Sunday, May 27, J. R. Vaughn, of Birmingham, Ala., made a temperance talk on the street in our city, and went to Winchester on Monday. Later in the week some person or persons started the report in our city that Mr. Vaughn while in Winchester was drunk, arrested, etc. A letter was written from this city to officials in Winchester to ascertain if the report was true. The answer signed by three officials stated that on investigation they find that "the report is not true."

#### Arthur P. Gorman Dead.

United States Senator Arthur P. Gorman, of Maryland, died of heart trouble at Washington, D. C. on Monday. Since January 16 he had not left his home. He leaves a wife and six children. He served continuously in the Senate for 18 years. He was prominent not only in the Senate but in national politics.

#### Memorial Address.

On Wednesday at Lexington R. R. Perry, editor of Sun-Sentinel, Winchester, delivered the memorial address at the decoration of Federal graves.

#### Resigned.

United States Senator Burton of Kansas has placed his resignation in the hands of the Governor.

#### LAND STOCK AND CROP

FOR SALE—A 4-year-old red Short horn bull; fine stock.  
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In Cincinnati on Saturday the value of cattle had downward tendency and were 10 to 25c lower.

Young Bros. of North Middletown, sons of J. W. Young, sold their crop of tobacco, about 12,000 pounds, at 9c; the product of 8 acres, about \$135 per acre. They sold to Boardman & Whaley 21 182 lb hogs at 51c. They were 9 months old, the pigs of two litters, and brought \$220.20. Last year they sold the product of one sow in one year for \$235.

#### General Baptist Association.

On account of the General Association of Kentucky Baptists the Southern Railway will sell excursion tickets from stations on its line in Kentucky to Richmond on June 24 and 25 with final return limit of July 5th, 1906, at rate of one fare plus 25 cents for the round trip.

#### Sunday Closing in Lexington

Judge Parker in his charge to Grand Jury, says that Sunday closing and all other laws can be enforced if the people of the community honestly desire to do so.

Lawrence Mitchell, of North Middletown, has accepted a position with Davis & Mitchell (his father's firm) of that town.

#### That Interurban Line.

The stockholders of the Paris, Mt. Sterling and North Middletown interurban line met at Paris and elected the following Board of Directors:

John T. Collins and W. A. Thomson, of North Middletown; J. H. Clay McKee and J. M. Biggs, of Mt. Sterling, and Messrs. R. J. Neely, Robert C. Talbot and Henry A. Power, of Paris. After the election of the Board of Directors, the following officers were elected: Robert C. Talbot, president; John T. Collins, vice president; Henry A. Power, treasurer, and H. Clay McKee, secretary.

The prospects for the early construction of the road are flattering.

Late reports indicate that the Americans may have been the aggressors in the deadly outbreak in Mexico. Thirty-five Mexicans were killed to six Americans. No further trouble is expected, and both Governments view the affair in a conciliatory light.

#### Indiana for Bryan.

Democrats of Indiana will meet in Indianapolis on Thursday and nominate a State ticket. A platform, already drafted, indorses W. J. Bryan for the presidency in 1908.

E. C. Schooler, one of our most correct business men, has accepted a position with Harry Lynthcum, where he would be delighted to see his friend.

#### A Card of Thanks.

In the name of the Southern Presbyterian Church, we desire to thank our friends and every one who took part in the entertainment given last Friday night. Our parsonage fund is growing and will soon be sufficient for us to take active steps toward building or buying. We have at this time \$620 on hand.

#### THE PASTOR.

Sharp competition for State Printing and the State Superintendent of Printing came to a close on last Friday. First and second class went to Louisville to the Globe Printing Co., third class to James E. Hughes, a Mt. Sterling boy, now of Lexington, one of Kentucky's most deserving young men and J. W. Hedden, of the Advocate, became the Superintendent of Printing of Kentucky.

#### Too Much Religion.

Mrs. Kate R. Taylor, of Louisville, was found in an apparently unbalanced condition in Washington, and overstudy on religion is ascribed as the cause of her temporary illness.

#### Low Rates to the Home Coming.

On account of the Home coming for Kentuckians, Louisville, Ky., The Southern Railway will sell tickets from all of its stations to Louisville at rate of one first-class fare plus 25 cents for the round trip on June 11, 12 and 13, with return limit on June 23, 1906.

## Free Trip to Louisville.

The Retail Merchants' Association of Louisville will refund in cash to out-of-town customers, the cost of Round Trip Tickets, based on a one and one-third fare, on the following dates: April 20 to 15th, May 20 to 15th, June 15th to 15th. For particulars address

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## FLAME FROM SKY

Knowledge Hundred Men Proven  
Upon the Field, Killing Five  
and Injuring 25.

### THUNDERBOLTS WROUGHT HAVOC

At a Baseball Game in Alabama, Pursuing the Spectators and Pursuing the Ground.

The Lightning Struck Hardest in the Densest Part of the Crowd, Hurting the On-lookers to Every Quarter.

Mobile Ala., May 1.—Five men were killed and 25 terribly injured by a thunderbolt three miles from this city Sunday afternoon. The lightning struck in the midst of 1,000 spectators at a ball game in an open field, and more than fifty persons, who were on the slightly built, but better known, school. The day was extremely hot and humid. At 3 o'clock a thunderstorm gathered in the west and traveled straight for the ball field. A game between two local teams was being closely contested, seven innings having been played, with the score tied at two runs each.

There was no protection from the storm. Before the rain there was a wonderful display of sheet lightning, and some of the spectators became alarmed. The field was elevated, being the highest ground for half a mile around. Some man in the crowd said that the danger of being struck by lightning was great, but ridicule by the mass of the spectators prevented any one from seeking a safer spot. The fall of rain was terrific and the roar of thunder was continuous. Suddenly there was a deafening crash directly over the field and lightning seemed to fall over the entire crowd. The bolt raged along the ground, becoming a zigzag course, and in several places cutting a furrow more than a foot deep.

It seemed that the whole field was aflame with electricity. Men were down in every direction, and a remarkable fact was that two were killed 50 to 100 feet apart, while hundreds of others came through unscathed.

The lightning struck hardest in the densest part of the crowd. The spectators were hurled to every quarter, and more than 100 were knocked flat on the instant. It is agreed by all who came through the awful experience that there were five or six bolts of thunderbolts, the first being most destructive.

The clothes were burned off Donald Tourant, aged 21 years. Tourant was the son of a merchant and one of the best known youths in the country. His face was left unrecognizable and a watch in his waistcoat pocket was run into a piece of shrapnel metal. Half a dozen silver coins in his pocket were fused. The other dead are: Steven Tourant, a brother; Arthur Moody, 19 years old; John Green and Charles Thomas.

When the last bolt had fallen a pathetic sight was witnessed. All over the field men were struggling to their feet, while there lay scores of those who had been hurled by the lightning. It was half an hour before the last of the unconscious men had regained his senses. Then, when the dead and injured had been carried away, the field remained strewn with the remnants of clothing of every description. There were torn hats and coats, broken shoes and pieces of trousers. In one instance the underwear had been carried clear from a man's body. A silver dollar taken from the pocket of Moody was melted on one side, while the other was not marked.

### POLICEMAN MORTON.

Who Played a Prominent Part in Trial of Bertha Cliche. Attorney Suicide.

New York, May 1.—Harry Morton, a policeman, who played a prominent part in the trial of Bertha Cliche for the killing of Emil Gordon, several months ago made three unsuccessful attempts to commit suicide after he had been indicted by the grand jury on a charge of having committed perjury at the Cliche trial. While waiting in the office of a deputy police commissioner he placed a revolver in his temple, but was prevented from firing. When given a glass of water he bit a piece of glass and swallowed it, and then attempted to stab himself with his pocket knife.

### THREE MEN DROWNED.

One Thrown Out of a Launch and Rowboat Containing Two Capsized.

New York, May 1.—Three men were drowned Sunday afternoon by a squall that passed over Sheephead Bay. Joseph Harpner, of Brooklyn, was thrown out of the launch which was pitching in a heavy sea and about the same time a rowboat containing two men was swamped and the occupants sank.

### Earthquake in Michigan.

Marquette, Mich., May 1.—The most severe earthquake disturbance ever experienced in this region occurred at the Marquette mine. There were more than fifty severe shocks. Buildings rocked violently and in several places there are cracks in the earth from two to six inches in width. The shock was distinct in Ligon and Hix and did no damage. The Alcon is shut down as the result of these disturbances.

## SWITZERLAND UNIVERSITIES

Educational Institutions That Are a Great Credit to the Nation.

Geneva is only one of the universities of little Switzerland. Basel, founded in 1540; Lausanne, founded as an academy in 1537, and as a university in 1830; Zurich, founded in 1832; Bern, founded in 1834; Freiburg, founded in 1889, have each secured a high educational place, though in its historic impressiveness Geneva is unique. But Geneva and her five companions, says Harper's Magazine, are noble illustrations of the spirit and power of democracy. Their support is derived largely from the citizens in which they are located. Although the constitution of 1848 authorized the federal government to erect and to maintain a polytechnic school and university, the university has not been established. The citizens support their universities as a thing which is as great as obtains in the states of the American union, though their respective states universities. The University of Zurich is maintained by a commonwealth of but 350,000 people, and within an area of less than 700 square miles. Basel, with a population of less than 100,000, supports its university. They are examples of the power of an enlightened democracy which interests itself in the highest education. This interest is not confined, either, to the cause of liberal learning, for the technical schools of Zurich are among the best of the world.

Rugs, Modern and Antiques. Because many antiquaries are admirable is no reason for denying the merit of modern rugs. There are more rugs of high quality being woven today than ever before, and this is due principally to the fact that there is a better market for them than ever before. The United States alone imports \$1,000,000 worth a year—about \$2,500,000 before the duty is paid. No wonder that the shah of Persia values the rug weaving industry tenderly, bestowing orders and honorable rewards on successful rug merchants and inflicting the most severe penalties for the use of aniline dyes or anything calculated to bring Persian rugs into disrepute. Country Life in America.

### Extraordinary Golf Drive.

It is stated by the secretary of the Western super-Mare club that when playing on that course a few days ago Mr. Douglas Robinson accomplished an extraordinary drive. The distance from the sixteenth tee to the green is 315 yards, and there is a bunker just guarding the green, but Mr. Robinson is said to have carried the bunker with his drive, that is, to have driven his ball so that it went over the bunker before it touched the ground. In the ordinary way 160 yards or 170 yards represents the carry of a very fine drive. The longest drive (carry and run combined) on record is generally understood to be one done by Mr. Edward Blackwell at St. Andrews some years ago, when he drove his ball 366 yards.

### Under Woman's Sway.

Between the mountains of India and Persia lies a powerful tribe among whom an extraordinary custom prevails. Woman's rights have apparently received full recognition, for the ladies of the tribe can choose their own husbands. All a single woman has to do when she wishes to change her estate is to send a servant to pin a handkerchief to the lap of the man on whom her fancy lights, and he is obliged to marry her, unless he can persuade her that he is too poor to purchase her at the price her father requires.

### Safe.

Kutcher—Would you give your seat to a woman who was plain or old?

Knicker—Well, I'd give it to any woman who thought she was either.—N. Y. Sun.

### Awful Ignorance.

Tommy Twaddles—Pa, what's God Friday?

Pa Twaddles—Tommy, I'm ashamed of you. Didn't you ever read "Robinson Crusoe"?—Cleveland Leader.

### Bad Taste.

"I wonder why they happen to call one room in a house a den." "Because so many of them look like a den."—Detroit Free Press.

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### Nominating Blanks

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Contest Dep't, Lexington Herald  
LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY.

### Important Change of Time on Southern Railway.

On Friday December 1st, the following changes in time of the Southern Railway trains will become effective:

No. 1 now leaving Louisville at 7:40 A.M. will depart at 8:00 A.M.  
No. 9 now leaving Louisville at 8:50 P.M. will depart at 8:30 P.M.  
No. 23 now leaving Louisville at 7:25 P.M. will depart at 7:43 P.M.  
No. 24 now leaving Lexington at 6:10 A.M. will depart at 5:45 A.M.  
No. 2 now leaving Lexington at 5:30 P.M. will depart at 5:00 P.M.  
Corresponding changes will be made at local stations and passengers intending to use these trains should consult ticket agents for complete information.  
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FOR WASHINGTON, BALTIMORE, PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, RICHMOND.

OLD POINT AND NORFOLK.

12:25 p. m. and 9:45 p. m. daily.

EASTBOUND LOCAL TRAIN

—m. Ex. Sunday.

Dr. Dowie, the reported first apostle of Zion, breathes out threats against his once followers.

## DREDGING FOR GOLD.

The Yield in California Exceeds That of Other Mining Methods.

The latest evolution in the systems and appliances of gold mining is that of the dredge. The yield in California from the dredges now exceeds the combined yield of the hydraulic and drift mines of the state, and also greatly exceeds the placer yield. The system of dredging, says the Sunset Magazine, is practically a form of placer mining, where improved modern appliances are utilized to handle large quantities of auriferous material in a brief space of time, and without the use of water under high heads, or the necessity of long tunnels. As a usual thing, ground supposed to be suitable for dredging is not bought outright, while still unproven. It is taken under bond for a specified time and for a specified price, those who bond it being expected to go to the expense of running the prospecting drills and of proving the ground. If the expected values are not forthcoming, the bond lapses, whereas, if the prospecting shows the ground to be valuable for the purposes desired, then the purchase is concluded according to the terms of the bond. Aside from a partial payment, time enough is usually given so that a certain proportion of the purchase price may be obtained from the ground itself through the medium of the dredges. The price of available ground of this character is gradually being advanced, so that, except in unproven localities, it may no longer be bought at low cost.

### He Got the Rebate.

A fertile minded agent, now one of the widest known life insurance officers in the country, was trying to sell a client a policy on the agent's share of the first premium was \$1,500. The client desired the policy, but he wanted a rebate of \$1,000, and this the agent was willing to give. The agent was cutting about in his mind for some method of hiding the rebate, when the office called—they were in the client's office—chanced to rub purringly against his leg. He looked down at the cat and his method was ready. "What a beautiful Angora cat!" he exclaimed, gravely. "My wife loves cats. She'd be tickled to death to have that one. I'll give you \$1,000 for it." The client assented, and the policy was taken. Receipts were exchanged, the cat was cradled in the waste basket, and wrapped up, and the agent went away with tubby under his arm—and no rebate law could touch him.—World's Work.

### Plants as Destroyers.

Strength is not a thing usually connected with mulch and fern; yet, if its roots have not sufficient room, they will break the pot in which the plant grows. Blades of grass will force the kerbstones between which they may spring up out of their place and in a single night a crop of small mushrooms have lifted a large stone. Indeed, plants have been known to break the hardest rocks. The island of Aldabra, to the northwest of Madagascar, is becoming smaller and smaller through the action of the mangroves that grow along the foot of the cliffs. They cut their way into the rock in all directions, and into the gaps thus formed the waves force their way. In time they will probably reduce the island to pieces.

### Powerful.

"How much of an actor is Hamphut?"

"How much? Why, that man can make himself believe he is drawing \$100 a week when he hasn't seen a cent in a month."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

### Japanese Army Recruiting.

The Japanese army is recruited by conscription, but only 25 of the strongest and healthiest are picked out of every 100 men called up for service; the remainder are sent into the reserve.

### Wooden Spoons in Russia.

In Russia an extensive domestic industry consists of the manufacture of wooden spoons, of which as many as 30,000,000 are made annually. They are nearly all of birch wood.

### That's Different.

"Why do you go with Grace?"

"She says she's going to wait for me."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## Frankfort & Cincinnati Ry.

### "THE MIDLAND ROUTE."

LOCAL TIME TABLE

IN EFFECT JUNE 5th, 1905.

P. M. A. M.	DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY	A. M. P. M.	EXCEPT SUNDAY
8:00	Frankfort to Cincinnati	11:15	Frankfort to Cincinnati
8:15	Cincinnati to Frankfort	11:30	Cincinnati to Frankfort
8:30	Frankfort to Cincinnati	11:45	Frankfort to Cincinnati
8:45	Cincinnati to Frankfort	12:00	Cincinnati to Frankfort
9:00	Frankfort to Cincinnati	12:15	Frankfort to Cincinnati
9:15	Cincinnati to Frankfort	12:30	Cincinnati to Frankfort
9:30	Frankfort to Cincinnati	12:45	Frankfort to Cincinnati
9:45	Cincinnati to Frankfort	1:00	Cincinnati to Frankfort
10:00	Frankfort to Cincinnati	1:15	Frankfort to Cincinnati
10:15	Cincinnati to Frankfort	1:30	Cincinnati to Frankfort
10:30	Frankfort to Cincinnati	1:45	Frankfort to Cincinnati
10:45	Cincinnati to Frankfort	2:00	Cincinnati to Frankfort
11:00	Frankfort to Cincinnati	2:15	Frankfort to Cincinnati
11:15	Cincinnati to Frankfort	2:30	Cincinnati to Frankfort
11:30	Frankfort to Cincinnati	2:45	Frankfort to Cincinnati
11:45	Cincinnati to Frankfort	3:00	Cincinnati to Frankfort
12:00	Frankfort to Cincinnati	3:15	Frankfort to Cincinnati
12:15	Cincinnati to Frankfort	3:30	Cincinnati to Frankfort
12:30	Frankfort to Cincinnati	3:45	Frankfort to Cincinnati
12:45	Cincinnati to Frankfort	4:00	Cincinnati to Frankfort

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## Lexington & Eastern Ry

### SUMMER TIME TABLE.

Effective May 10, 1905.

### East-Bound.

East-Bound.		No. 1	No. 4
STATIONS.	D <sup>y</sup>	East	Nat.
Lexington	P. M.	A. M.	
Montrose	F 2:40	7 15	
Avon	2:50	8 05	
Winchester	F 3:00	8 15	
Clinton	3:10	8 25	
Indian Field	F 3:20	8 35	
Dayton	3:30	8 45	
Start	F 4:10	9 25	
Fillis	F 4:20	9 35	
Dayton	F 4:30	9 45	
Dr. deo.	F 4:40	9 55	
Clinton Bridge.	F 4:50	10 05	
General	F 5:00	10 15	
Winchester	F 5:10	10 25	
Clinton	F 5:20	10 35	
St. Helena	F 5:30	10 45	
Tallies	F 5:40	10 55	
Dayton	F 5:50	11 05	
Oakdale	F 6:00	11 15	
Clinton	F 6:10	11 25	
O. & N. Junction	F 6:20	11 35	

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### FRAUD ON THE CHINESE.

Shortweight Coins Forced Into Circulation by Their Own Government.

A bad state of affairs has been disclosed in China, according to a report of Vice Consul Cloud, from Hangchow. The mandarin there have been accumulating large quantities by the minting of new coins, "cash", and dumping them on the people. The new coins are far below weight, and they are intrinsically worth about 25 cash to the old 10-cash piece. Yet there are two mints in Hangchow alone that turn out the new coins, 10 and 20 cash pieces, at the rate of 60 to 85 a minute to each stamping machine, some of the machines running 24 hours a day. The total output of the mints is about 4,500,000 coins every 24 hours, and there is a difference of something like \$12,700 between the actual and the face value of the coins in American currency. The merchants have organized a lay-out against the new money and the government is forcing it on the people, paying it for labor and the products of the fields, but refusing to receive it for taxes. The result is that there is endless quarreling, fighting, and even rioting, over private money transactions, and the people have twice stormed the official yamen to show their displeasure.

The mints have been temporarily shut down and the boycott of the merchants against the new money is fairly effective.

### WASN'T TAKING CHANCES.

He Wanted to Make Sure That the Automobile Had Run Over the Chicken.

An automobilist, speeding along a country road at a rapid clip, ran over and killed a chicken. When he returned the same way an hour later a man was standing in the middle of the road, signaling excitedly for him to stop, relates Everybody's Magazine. He brought the machine to a standstill, and there lying on the roadside was the poor chicken whose life had been snuffed out. He was prepared for the worst, when the following dialogue took place:  
"May I ask did you run over this chicken?"  
"Yes, I'm the guilty party, but I am willing to pay for the damage. How much do you want?"  
"Oh, that's all right. You see, before I took the chicken home I wanted to make sure how it had been killed. If your automobile ran over it I guess it's good to eat."

### Shower of Fishes.

A remarkable phenomenon of a recent thunderstorm was seen in the state of Queensland. In the midst of the rain there suddenly fell from the skies a large number of young fish. The fish fell at first in twos and threes, but subsequently came in dozens, until a large area of ground was strewn with live fish measuring from one and a half to three inches. It is thought that the storm generated a waterspout in one of the rivers, and that the fish were sucked up by it and carried by the wind some long distance before being dropped.

### Engagements in West Africa.

In some parts of West Africa the girls have long engagements, on the day of their birth they are betrothed to a lady by a trifle older than themselves, and at the age of 20 they are married. The girls know of no other way of getting a husband, and so they are quite happy and satisfied. As wives they are patterns of obedience, and the marriages usually turn out a success.

### Meeting of One.

The chairman of the Gold Coast Concessions, Limited, attended the company's annual meeting in London in splendid isolation. He could not form a quorum by himself, so he had to declare the meeting adjourned.

### What Alfonso Said.

"Say, boys, give me a chance to see her without any pension, and you shall be invited to the wedding." The Boston Herald at large was Alfonso's last word to the newspaper men at Cowes.

### Local Option in Henry.

On June 16 there will be a local option election in Henry county.



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### FOR SALE

Inquire of Advocate for Particulars.

### Good Common Law.

One of the absurdities of the law was strikingly illustrated at Shrewsbury quarter sessions recently, when a man was charged with stealing a quantity of lead from the veranda of an empty house. The lead, said the Recorder, was attached to the veranda and thereby became part of the freehold. As part of the freehold the lead was land in the eye of the law. Land could not be stolen, and therefore the prisoner could not be convicted of larceny. According to the Recorder the only remedy of the owner against a person taking lead from the roof of a building is to bring a civil action for damages! Truly the law is "a hax" if it was correctly laid down in this case.—London Truth.

### Papier Clergymen.

Some remarkable statements regarding pauperism among the clergy of the Church of England are obtained in a pamphlet issued by Rev. Henry J. Swallow, honorary secretary of the Clergy Provident union. With the permission of the local government board, Mr. Swallow applied to 700 clergymen and laymen in England and Wales for particulars as to the number of pauper clergymen who had been admitted during the last ten years. The result was to show that no fewer than 42 clergymen had been admitted into pauper and borough pauper asylums and 61 into union workhouses.

### Best-Educated Folliesmen.

Bolton claims to have the best educated police force in the world. The local authorities arrange special lectures for the police force, and every policeman and on duty is expected to attend. At these lectures they are taught, among other things, the grounds on which convictions may be obtained and the best way to give evidence.

### Paintings and Prints.

"The Swallows have hand painted rags in their house," said Miss Chestwork.  
"Indeed?" observed Mr. Clevers, "we have a collection of art carpets at our house, too."  
"So?"  
"Yes, they're all covered with footprints."—Detroit Free Press.

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Ar. St. Louis..... 6:22 p. m.  
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## PERSONAL.

Miss Lida Gorman is visiting in Salt Lake.

H. R. Prewitt returned to Fran fort Monday.

Miss Mary Tyler visited in Sharpshurg last week.

John B. McKee, of Covington, was here Decoration Day.

Mrs. E. C. Orear has returned to her home in Frankfort.

Miss Elizabeth Clay has returned from a visit in Lexington.

Mr. Coleman Moffett, of Sharpshurg, was in this city Monday.

Judge D. B. Garrison, of St. Louis, visited relatives in this city.

Miss Leta Graves, of Lexington, is visiting Miss Mary Lewis Armstrong.

T. B. Arthur, of Louisville, spent Sunday with the family of J. W. Hedden.

Miss Hazel Ringo, of Hazel Green, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ernest E. Kline.

Mrs. Thomas A. Combs and daughter, of Lexington, were here Decoration Day.

Mrs. Mott Ayres, of Frankfort, is visiting her parents, Geo. E. Coleman and family.

Miss Louise Hoffman, who has been visiting in Lexington, returned home Sunday.

Miss Bessie Byrd, of Winchester, is the guest of Miss Dora Swango in this city.

Thomas Henry Williams is at home from Versailles, where he has been attending school.

Mrs. C. H. Perry is entertaining Miss Martha and Master Jerry Wilson Coleman, of Fulton, Ky.

Miss Blanche McKee was in Lexington last week to see Sarah Bernhardt and Peas and Furies.

Miss Ida Marrs, of Lexington, will arrive Friday to visit Mrs. H. M. Gann and Miss Frances Johnson.

Miss Mary E. Turner, W. S. Turner, Jr., and Mrs. J. O. Greene spent several days in Cincinnati last week.

M. C. Eay returned last week from Ely Nevada, where he has been for the past two months on a business trip.

Miss Charlotte Herndon, of Lexington, is visiting Misses Min-

nie Groves and Mary Pratt Hedden.

Miss Minnie Overby is at home from Lexington.

Miss Mary Rogers Chiles is visiting in Lexington.

Master Thomas Guthrie is in Jessamine with his grand mother, Mrs. Wm. L.

S. D. Carrington, of the Maconio Home, Shelbyville, is here on a visit to his sisters.

J. W. Burbridge, who travels in New York State, is at home for several weeks stay.

Mrs. W. P. Guthrie is in Dayton, Ohio, visiting her brother, Dr. Frank Thompson.

John B. McKee, of Cincinnati, after an absence of 12 years, visited his old home here Wednesday.

Miss Ellen Shawver, of Lexington, is visiting the family of Dr. R. D. Weaver of North Middletown.

H. G. Tabb, J. O. Greene and W. Lola Thompson spent several days fishing on Red river last week.

Rev. H. G. Turner, R. H. White, L. H. Arnold and Geo. C. Eastin were fishing in Powell county last week.

Miss Lida Goodwater is visiting in Carlisle. She goes from there to Cincinnati Conservatory of Music.

Thos. Cook who has been at Taylorsville since November, has returned and will spend the summer here.

Henry Prewitt returned from Millersburg last week where he has been attending school at M. M. I.

Nehemiah Gay, of near Grassy returned home last week from Millersburg, where he has been attending M. M. I.

J. M. Oldfield, was here last week and had a coin which had been unearthed and which bore the date of 1774.

E. C. Ekridge and family have returned to their Mt. Sterling home after having been in Louisville for many years.

J. P. Muncie, of Breathitt, candidate for Congress, was in town on Monday. He is confident that he can secure the nomination.

Miss Mary Lewis Armstrong entertained eight of her girl friends Saturday at dinner in compliment of her guest, Miss Graves.

Miss Mary E. West, of Louisville, is the guest of Miss Lucy Randal and will remain until after the High School Commencement.

Malcolm Thompson, who has been visiting his son, W. R. Thompson, returned to his home at Payne's Depot, accompanied by little Miss Cynthia Thompson.

D. B. Garrison, of St. Louis, Mo., dropped in last week and accompanied his family home, via Cincinnati, where they visited Mr. Garrison's sister, Mrs. Leddie Lardo.

Shirley Mason and sisters, Misses Mae and Sallie, attended Commencement at Wesleyan College, Winchester, last week, where their brother, Crawford, graduated with honors of A. B.

Miss Kathryn Tracy, of Lexington, Miss Ella Carroll, of Covington, and Miss Bessie Troy, of Cincinnati, were the guests of Miss

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Shelly Smith is visiting his parents in our city.

Mrs. N. H. Trimble returned home last night.

W. R. Nunnell, of Louisville, was here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kemper, of Bourbon, have been visiting here. He returns home today.

Mrs. M. A. Hart, of Fulton, Mo., arrived on Saturday. Her husband will come late in June.

L. L. Asbury, of Lexington, and Arthur Byner, of Indianapolis, Ind., are in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Colvin, of Huntington, W. Va., spent Sunday night here, en route to West Liberty.

Chas Stewart and wife, of Winchester, and John Russell, of Paris, spent Sunday with their daughters, the Mesdames Barnes.

Mrs. W. T. Brooks and daughter, Virginia Edna Brooks, of Ladoga, Ind., are visiting relatives and friends in Mt. Sterling this week.

Mrs. W. Letcher James and children and James Kimbrell, of Illinois, are here with their father, George Kimbrell, who has been quite sick.

M. C. Clay has returned from Lane City, Nevada. The town site is owned by him and his associates. A railroad is now building to the town and will be completed by October 1. He is much pleased with the prospect.

D. B. Garrison, of St. Louis, spent two days here, returning with his wife Thursday afternoon. At the prayer meeting on Wednesday night he told of helpful and blessed association with the Mt. Sterling church and of the workers who had gone to heaven.

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## RELIGIOUS

Preaching at Southern Presbyterian Church next Sabbath at 11 o'clock and at Springside in the afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The New Christian Church at Jackson, Ky., will be dedicated on Sunday, June 17. Sermons will be given over the L. & K.

Charles Hedges, son of Mrs. E. J. Hedges, of this city, was recently ordained at Heilany, Va., to the ministry of the Christian Church.

Rev. J. B. Meacham and wife have gone to Nicholasville to attend the Sabbath School Institute of West Lexington Presbytery. Rev. Meacham will make an address.

Quarterly Conference will be held at Georgetown next Saturday and Sunday. An all day session will be held on Saturday. Basket dinner will be served. Rev. E. G. B. Mann will preside.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will meet in the Sunday School room of the Christian Church Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A tent show will be desired. Please be prompt.

Remember the meeting at the Christian Church. Preaching this evening, Thursday and Friday evening and Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Subject this evening, "If a man honestly thinks he is right, will he be condemned?" Afternoon service next week only on Wednesday and Saturday.

B. W. Timmerman, who is a member of the Kentucky Union of the Kentucky Christian Missionary Association, has received Rev. W. W. Dorrill, Georgetown, who has received from the State, Ohio, a certificate for the first time in the monthly meeting in Lexington.

Sunday, June 10th, the solemn opening of 40th anniversary will take place at St. Patrick's Church. The devotion will continue until Tuesday evening when it will solemnly close with a procession in honor of the Blessed Sacrament.

Sunday evening there will be special devotion at 7:30 and a sermon in English by the Rev. of the Most Holy Sacrament and the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. The pastor and congregation of St. Patrick's extend a hearty welcome to those who wish to attend any or all the services, and we kindly ask them to join us in holy prayer that the Lord may bless and prosper our community in the ways of righteousness and truth.

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## THE SICK

Miss Florence McNamara is here to assume her duties at Punch & G. & Co.

Harry L. Litchman, who has been sick for several weeks, is improving slowly.

The condition of Mrs. John W. White, who is at Newport, Tenn., is much improved.

## MARRIAGES

William Graham Kerr, of Lexington, formerly of North Middletown, will be married to Miss Fannie Payne Hally, of Scott county, on tomorrow evening June 7 at the Midway Christian Church. The North Middletown attendants are: Roy McClay, Skinner Kerr, Bennett Bean, John White Young, Miss Nancy Bryan and Miss Sadie Young. Quaker friends from there will attend.

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Public School Commencement.

The Public School Commencement at Lexington of the City Schools will take place at the Court House, Dr. F. W. Hitt, President of Central University, of Danville, will deliver the address. Stanton's Orchestra will furnish music.

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